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(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
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For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING TISSUE  
CELLS FROM PLURIPOTENT STEM  
CELLS DERIVED FROM IRIS PIGMENTED  
EPITHELIAL CELLS OF ANIMAL, AND  
TISSUE CELLS OBTAINED BY METHOD

Examiner: Aditi DUTT

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant is in receipt of an Office Communication mailed on March 13, 2007  
(the "Office Action") for the above-referenced application.

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

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